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With Director and Executive Director.

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Mr.	Harold W. Mosely, Secy, SANACC, reference Sub	committee on Special
	Studies and Evaluations—advised it was the subject subcommittee should consider only ps	
	Memo will be issued designating on subcommittee, relieving	as representative
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With Director concerning request of Mr. George Bookman of Time Magazine for "off the record" information on possible revolution.

Executive Director and Exec for A&M concerning duty from 5-6PM in Director's office, Monday thru Friday, and Saturday and Sunday duty in Director's office. Study will be made on desired changes.

Executive Director concerning cooperation and assistance to ECA.

Executive for I&S concerning inspector's report.

Executive Secretary, OSO concerning request of for information on psychological warfare. Deputy Director stated that was not to be granted access to any part of OSO. Informed Exec for I&S and Executive Director.
G-2, concerning communication facilities for handling top secret messages after working hours. Discussed subject with Executive Director and Executive for A&M.
Conferred with Gen. Bradley;
Lunched in office with Director and Col. Galloway.

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With Director and Executive Director.

Admiral Inglis and Col. Carter Clarke, G-2, reference meeting between oil company representatives, State Department representatives and representative from P&O Div, Army, concerning possible sabotage of petroleum facilities in Venezuela.

Checked with Col. Paul Freeman, P&O Div, Army, concerning the meeting and the statement that CIA was not cooperative, etc.

Requested Col. Galloway, OSO, and Col. Babbitt, ORE, to submit all raw information received and disseminated on above subject.

Mr. Green, OSO, had met with State Department representative on subject, but no request for assistance had been made. He was requested to submit resume of conference.

Mr. John F. Doherty, former FBI liaison officer, to say "goodbye".				
Captain T. B. Hill, USN, MLC to AEC, concerning Mr. Carpenter, new designated civilian Chairman of MLC, and the statements to Mr Carpenter of Mr. Blum regarding the CIA Survey group.				
Admiral Olsen, OCD, reference materialnot sufficiently definitiveentail comprehensive collection, whimay result in duplication of material which they already have	Lch			
Deputy Director suggested that the most recent request for material on be returned to him.				
Reference request from Asst. Sec Navy for one additional copy	7			

of Daily Summary; DCI approved dissemination.

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Mr. Carol Kilpatrick, San Francisco Ch Senator Bridges on Project "X"; a Monday 26 April.	ronicle, concerning ppointment set up wi	statement of th DCI for
concerning his discussion w	ith	on SANACC 395.
Dr. Andrews, Reference Center, was adv was to be removed from files for Board.		
Checked with Mr. Pforzheimer con copies of all clippings regarding	cerning Mr. Blum's r the Bogota affair.	request for
concerning State Departme believed to be in connection with trusteeship-troops, etc.		
reference report for the D	irector.	
Mr. Lee Nichols, United Press, concern of Minnesota, proposing a joint co		
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Col. Galloway reported that Blum of the Survey Group on Tue reason for "getting out of CIA" courtesy but said emphatically connection with CIA without the resigned effective	apologi he would not discuss direct authority of	il, as to his zed for dis- anything in

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Colonel Stamm, Marine Officer, Industrial College (code 150, ext 448) reference seminar on industrial mobilization; requested guidance on economic intelligence. Col. Babbitt, ORE, was requested to have someone (probably Dr. Chawner) contact Col. Stamm to give assistance.

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Vice President,	Los Angeles; r	equest for appoint-
ment with either Directo	or or Deputy Director; n	ame does not appear
on roster of bank's off:		••
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Inquired of Mr. OSO, de	ate of elections in Pana	ma: May 9one day
only.		
Inquired if they had any	v information concerning	Rilo Mandez.
presently residing in Lo		
Police in Panama. Noth	_ , , , ,	to have been curer of
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reported on meeting	ng of Sanace subcommitte	e concerning SANACC 395.

Checked with Col. Edwards and Mr. Duggan, I&S, concerning Wallace A. Sprague and Mr. Joseph LaRoque—consultants to NSC survey group.

With Director and Executive Director on inspection of ORE.

Lunched in office with Director and Mr. Joseph Alsop.



27 April 1948

With Director and Executive Director.

Weekly Staff Conference.

Checked with Colonel Edwards and Mr. Duggan concerning nature of request from Mr. Lay, NSC, for check on Wallace A. Sprague and Joseph Larocque, Jr. Called Mr. Lay to indicate that the Director had not cleared subject individuals in connection with the CIA Survey, and until such time as they were cleared, they would not be permitted access to any classified material.

Secretariat of SANACC, regarding a paper being considered in connection with SANACC 395. Later developments involved statement by Navy that they would oppose paper, and ultimately the State Department withdraw paper from SANACC with the statement that it would be presented directly to NSC.

Col. Galloway concerning request by Mr. Blum for files to be removed from premises for Mr. Dulles' use. Memo submitted to Director on subject.

Mr. Cassady with Director and Deputy Director concerning reversal of State attitude on certain proposed projects.

Advised Col. Galloway that in Mr. Ravndal's office, State.

Lunched in office.

Checked with Pers. Br. to determine if there was on file an application from and was informed there was nothing to indicate he had made formal application with us-although we have had an exchange of correspondence. (He has been particularly interested in p.w. and after reviewing his old OSS file, Mr. Cassady advised he was not interested in subject.)

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	OSO, concerning advice received through friends that Russia has actively and aggressively been purchasing all thorium available in France. Griffith was requested to contact Mr. Cassady to obtain name of man who will be in London until May 6, who is acquainted with details of this report; and have contact.
	A-2, reference closer liaison on covert collection- mentioned particularly Gen. Chamberlin's memo to DCI on subject. Meeting arranged for Thursday, 1100 hours, in Deputy Director's office to discuss subject fully. will send his representative, Col. Taylor.
	Called Gen. Bolling in this regard, and Lt. Col. Lash will represen
	col. Galloway advised.
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Col. Shannon with the Deputy Director and Executive Director reference requests from Mr. Cassady, OSO, and Communications Br., OSO, for additional warehouse space.

Deputy Director suggested the Army be contacted before any options are taken on available warehouse space, because it is probable they have available space which we can use.

Director concerning possible sabotage to Venezuelan oil property.

With Director and Executive Director concerning NSC Survey group and members of their staff. Meeting will be held with Assistant Director's in the Deputy Director's office on Thursday morning to clarify situation.

Lunched in office.

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29 April 1948

With Director and Executive Director.

- Meeting of Assistant Directors (Col. Babbitt, ORE; Adm. Olsen, OCD; General Sibert, OO; (OSO was not represented)) for discussion concerning the Survey Group and general procedure in connection therewith.
- Mr. G. C. Jacobus, National Security Resources Board, and concerning censorship planning. (Mr. Jacobus was connected with censorship at beginning of World War II.)
- Col. Galloway concerning location of office of Inspector for Foreign Service (Mr. Fred Lyon)—has not been established but Brussels and Paris have been considered as locations.
- General Sibert, 00, reported FBIB had not intercepted any reports concerning the Eniwetok atomic bomb tests.
- Captain T. B. Hill, MLC to AEC, and Major General Nichols, with reference to employment by AEC of Dr. Colby to handle liaison with CIA.

 DCI talked with General Chamberlin and Admiral Gingrich, AEC, concerning the problem. Deputy Director talked with Mr. Carpenter as a result of the Director's discussions.

General Sibert, 00, queried concerning distribution of reports to AEC.

Chief, FDBr, 00, concernin	Project; suggested
possibility of transferring admin	istrative control from ORE to
00Documents Branch.	stated that such a transfer
would be desirable and advantageo	ous to Documents Br.

Mr. Oechsner, State, concerning luncheon engagement for Tuesday, 4 May.

Conference:	Col.	Galloway,	0S0;	Col.	Robert	Taylor,	<u>3</u> d, r	epresentin g	: A-2;
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With Director and Executive Director.

Exec. for A &M concerning two Army nominations which had not been coordinated with G-2.

Was requested to prepare reply to A. B. Whipple, who had written for a job and also concerning communism in Mexico. Copy of Mr. Whipple's letter will be forwarded to FBI.

General Sibert, 00, concerning use of hypnotist; had requested use of individual through I&S.

Deputy Chief, Scientific Branch, ORE, concerning T/O.

Deputy Director desires to review organization prior to further discussion.

General Alex Bolling, Deputy Director of Intelligence, GS, USA, reference nonconcurrence on Trieste paper, subsequent letter from DCI; advised situation had been corrected; and new system inaugurated to facilitate coordination of such papers.

Inspection of Reference Center, A&M.

Attended swearing-in ceremony of Gen. Vandenberg as Chief of Staff of. Air Force.

Discussed Project with Executive Director.

Chief, Scientific Branch, ORE, advised
that he had an appointment with Dr. Bush this afternoon;
and requested appointment with Deputy Director early next week.

Chief ICAPS, concerning paper pertaining to psychological warfare.

Discussed paper with DCI.

Commander Packard, Navy, concerning ER 317 -- which cannot be declassified.

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Mr.	DeLoach, FBI	liaison, was given copies of the following:
		Apr 48 ltr to DCI from concerning
	COI	nmunism in Mexico;
	ER 920122	Apr 48 ltr to SecDefense and Dir, FBI, from concerning communism.
	ER 921321	Apr 48 ltr to Senator Saltonstall from
	COI	ncerning survey of water supplies by Russian experts.
	ER 918123	Apr Memo on Dr. and an A-2 evaluation.
Off	icial luncheon Hotel 2400.	n for Admiral Olsen

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With Director and Executive Director.
Met with Mr. Blum, of Survey group, etc.
ORE Inspection.
Queried Col. Edwards, Exec for I&S, concerning request for security check on Edward Sachs, by NSC.
Mr. Childs and reference paper on psychological warfare submitted to NSC for consideration. Discussed comment to be made to SANACC by the DCI on subject paper.

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Weekly Staff Conference.

- Col. Babbitt, ORE, reference item in Daily Summary, referring to item in previous issue.

 Reference transfer of project to administrative control of OO--Foreign Documents Branch.

 Reference request that Dr. Guthe, attend international conference of National Research Council--as delegate from State Department. Approved.
- Col. Edwards, Exec I&S, was requested to check on a security request covering Ellsworth Raymond. File delivered.
- Mr. Childs, Ch, ICAPS, reported on NSC Staff meeting this morning covering psychological warfare paper.
- Mr. Miller, N.Y. SUN , queried concerning budget and personnel.

 Deputy Director explained our position in declining comment on the subject.
- OCS, USA, concerning bill before Congress regarding
 4-star generals. General Wright will mention to General Vandenberg.
- Commander Grantham called concerning comment of Admiral Leahy regarding Daily and Weekly Summaries and suggested changes.
- General Sibert. OO. concerning transfer of Project. Major Chan and of Documents Br. have appointment to discuss transfer with the Deputy Director on Wednesday, 5 May.

 Also concerning requests for material from Documents Br. by ORE and OSO and length of time material is charged out.

 Reference call from Mr. Ladd, FBI, concerning a contact with Mr. DeSimo of Phoenix, Arix, on purchase of uranium in Italy. Had had contact with Chicago office. General Sibert was requested to forward a memo concerning subject.

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General Sibert concerning proposed trip to New York of General McDonald and DCI; stated Contact Branch had full information covering subject and referred to Memo dated 13 March 1947 on contact.

Mr. John E. Baker, Special Procedures Branch, OSO, to pay respects.

	Reference T/O for Scientific Branch and conference was scheduled for Wednesday morning with the Director - at which time Exec for A&M would be present for discussion.
Col.	Shannon, Exec for A&M, and concerning construction of FBIS Concerning proposed building for CIA, and estimate. Concerning services of Dr. recently returned from trip to Middle East — it was suggested that possibly he be reimbursed on basis of 10 days at \$20 p.d. Two rolls of film to be reproduced.
	Reference news room. AP material to be delivered to DD/DCI four times daily and then posted. Classified material to be retained and posted in news room.
	Requirements Branch, OCD, concerning two collection requests from ID — having reference to ER 356.

Lunched with Mr. Oechsner, State, at Harveys.

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